

MISSISSIPPI CURSILLO SECRETARIAT
MINUTES OF MEETING
August 18, 2007
2:00 p.m.
Gray Center
Canton, Mississippi

ATTENDEES: Ralph Stillions, Julie Breland, Barbara McDonald, Tom Welch, Diana O'Toole, Fonda Brady, Rev. Sam Godfrey, Rev. Mary Berry, Robert Pooley, Chuck Barlow, Lena Barlow, Barbara Hammer.

Chairman Ralph Stillions presided and opened with prayer.

The group discussed the following issues:

- Gray Center facilities:
 1. It was agreed that there would be no objection to sharing the center with small groups staying in cottages during the Cursillo weekends.
 2. It was agreed that Ralph would check on the next date for a delegation to meet with the Gray Center Board.
- Schedule: A motion was made, seconded and approved to have two weekends (April and October) for 2008. Van Bankston will be Rector in April and Julie Breland will be Rector in October.
- Attendance at Weekends:
 1. It was agreed to ask Bill Horne for a minimum number of participants for Gray Center to host a Cursillo weekend.
 2. It was agreed that the spiritual directors would mention to the Bishop the Alabama policy of requiring new ordinands to serve on a renewal movement staff
 3. It was agreed that the Methodists would be approached about having their candidates attend Episcopal weekends.
- Positions to fill: A motion was made, seconded and approved to amend the By Laws to include three chair positions on the Secretariat: Ultreya Liaison, Palanca Chair, and Prayer Request Chair.
- Cursillo Reunion: Mark Herbert will be asked to head up a Robin Dow Tribute to take place in lieu of the February 2008 weekend.

The meeting was adjourned at 4:10 p.m. with a closing prayer.